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DR. BROOKS GIVEN BIG RECEPTION

Church Artistically Decorated. High Tribute Paid the Author by Dr. Parrish, Prof. Williams, Bishop Parks and Others. Musical Program Enlivens Affair. Church Auditorium Crowded.

The reception tendered Dr. W. Sampson Brooks, Friday, April 23, by the officers and members of St. Paul, to celebrate the review of his new book, "Footprints of a Black Man in the Holy Land," will go down in the annals of history as one of the most brilliant and unique social events of the church. The church auditorium had been artistically decorated by a profusion of sweet peas, amaranth and ferns, gaily festooning the altar railing and gracefully entwining the chandeliers and pulpit, adding the holiday air and spirit of festivity so manifest throughout the evening. No less beautiful was the lecture room, which deft and artistic fingers had transformed into a veritable bower of beauty and fair splendor. Graceful streamers and beautiful flowers made a canopy for a table ample in proportion, with a handsome centerpiece of cluny lace as a cover. A color scheme of pink and green was carried out throughout the decorations, effectively emphasized in the beautiful flowers, ferns and shaded candles adorning the table. The church auxiliary and the honor of the occasion with distinguished guests from a distance entered the auditorium in a procession, led by the Reception Committee. A beautiful bevy of young ladies. The church was almost filled to its utmost capacity at the beginning of the program, and this appreciative throng was constantly supplemented as the program proceeded and the evening waxed old. The program was as follows:

Music St. Paul choir, invocation by Dr. J. D. Barksdale, remarks by Bishop H. B. Parks, biographical sketch, Mrs. Sophia J. Smith, and review of the book by Dr. Parrish. Dr. Parrish, Dr. Williams, especially happy and eloquent in his review, and alluded to the occasion as one which called one from the far, casual element to the worship of the better self, the higher, spiritual being, or rather the worship of the soul. He dwelt at length upon the merit and attractiveness of the book, and commended the author upon his activity, enterprise and literary achievements, and commended the book to the public as the production of a fellow-worker, a man, able pastor and pulpiteer, and unique in being the first achievement of a St. Louis preacher, so honored and heralded. Dr. Williams made his remarks brief to introduce Dr. C. H. Parrish, of Louisville, Ky., the moderator of ninety thousand Kentucky Baptists, and the traveling companion of Dr. Brooks in the Holy Land. Dr. Parrish paid a glowing tribute to Dr. Brooks, saying that his presence attested his love and friendship for the honor of the occasion, as he had cancelled important engagements at home, to be present.

CARONDELET NEWS

I. V. Harris

Mrs. Green Fields, of Seattle, Wash., was visiting here. L. W. Fields, of 6103 S. Broadway, spent last Saturday with Mrs. M. J. Parnell. There she found real country life, with cows, chickens, eggs and fresh milk to drink, which she enjoyed.

Miss R. L. Harris entertained the Y. L. R. Club, Saturday, from 3 to 7. Eleven members were present. Guests were Mrs. Thompson, of Cleveland, O.; Misses W. Tate, L. M. Hopson, C. Wilkinson and W. Mack. After regular business a delicious repast was served. All enjoyed having spent a pleasant evening.

Last Monday night the members of Cor. Baptist Church gave Mrs. Green Fields a Welcome Reception at the church. She met some old friends that she had not seen for twenty-two years. Their hearts were made to rejoice. Delicacies of the table were served by the young people. Her son was all smiles.

Mrs. Ada McField was the lucky person to win the quilt that was raffled by the "South End Auxiliary of Old Folks' Home," last Wednesday night.

Miss M. White wears the Quaker Oats' brand. She has returned from the Philippines.

The sick are Mr. F. Gray and Hugh White.

The boys are preparing a tennis court opposite Purnell's. Get ready, girls, for the first game.

Quinn's Chapel is holding a series of meetings. An evangelist from New Orleans, is conducting the meetings. The Patrons' Association Concert is Tuesday, May 4, at the Baptist Church.

Special Features For Dreamland Ball

Those who attend the ball of Dreamland, Monday night, May 11, will be treated to a program of special features in addition to the regular dance program. These dance exhibitions have never been shown here and are the extreme in artistic terpsichore. Among them will be the Russian Waltz Marzuka, by the Wednesday Class; Casino, Spanish Solo Dance, by Miss Emma Julia Kean; Le Rouli Rouli, a ball room dance, with 100 girls left by Mrs. LeRoy Williams, Jr.; Wild Bird Marzuka, Polka Redowa, Premiere Danseuse, by Miss Verna Dean; and Love Moon Waltz, by Mr. Byron Turquoise and Miss Grace Key Carlton. During this, which is an original composition of music, will be the "The Moon." The regular program will consist of many plan dances, for all dancers, as well as the latest popular fads. There will be no restriction as to dress. Everyone can dress just as they wish. The special program will begin at 8 p. m. sharp. The admission to everything will be 50 cents. No reserved seats. The music will be furnished by Eugene White's Harmony Orchestra which will include the city's best musicians.

Keystone Garden Opens Monday

The Keystone Garden, Charles Mills' popular outdoor cafe at Compton and Lawton, will reopen Monday evening, May 3. Mr. Mills has gone to a big expense to make the place more attractive than ever, and a model for comfort and service. Boxes of beautiful flowers, tubs of tropical plants and festive decorations met the eyes of those who attend the opening Monday night.

IMPERIAL CAFE SERVES BIG PARTY AT LUNCHEON

The Melrose Art Club entertained at the Imperial Cafe, Sarah and Fairfax, Thursday night. The party was a large one, consisting of 50 guests. A five-course luncheon was served. The officers of the club are Mrs. R. Duval, Pres., Mrs. Henry King, Secy., Mrs. O. Jones, Treas., Hester Cash, Reporter.

Mr. Henderson, announces that he has engaged Prof. A. Turner, violinist, to play at the Imperial every Sunday afternoon and evening, beginning May 2.

Parkway Meeting

At a public meeting at the City Hall, Tuesday night, a large crowd attended the formal opening of a campaign for the Central Parkway. The question was discussed by different speakers, showing why the proposition should be supported at the election in June. Mayor Kell presided at the meeting.

MISS ELLIS HONORED

Misses Trolia Smith and Jane Bullock gave a delightful reception in honor of the departure of Miss Alma Ellis, to Detroit, Mich., where she is to make her future home. The affair was given at the residence of Miss Smith. Games and Dancing were indulged in by the assembled guests. Those present were the Misses Mary Dixon, Emma Washington, Edna Walker, Ruth Arnett, Etta Mae Bragg, Fay Edwards, Dolan Post, Ruth Ransome, Elsie Hill, Anna Cooper, Ophelia Polk, Butler, Helen Moore, Georgia Overton, Agnes Rhodes. Special honor guests from East St. Louis were Misses Daisy O. Westbrook, Cora Westbrook and Mary Blanton. Messrs. Joseph Benton, Fred Banks, James Walker, Ruth Ransome, Elsie Walker, Wm. Page, Ben. Berry, Grand Pickens, Harry Douglass, Chas. Jenkins, Lemon Gomez, P. Jackson, Jesse J. Johnson and W. S. Francis.

PROVIDENT HOSPITAL NOTES

Mr. John Taylor, 221 Pine St., is still confined here. He is now convalescing.

Mr. Arthur Bridges, East St. Louis, Ill., was admitted here Tuesday, very ill. "His condition now is much improved."

Mrs. Judith Reynolds, 4425 Cottage Ave., underwent a very serious operation Monday. She is doing very nicely.

Mrs. Mollie Minor, Mexico, Mo., is still confined here, but will soon be able to return home.

Mrs. Mary Turner, Lebanon, Ill., was discharged last week; feeling very much like herself again.

REV. J. W. EDWARDS

Rev. J. W. Edwards, a supernumerary member of the Missouri Conference A. M. E. Church. He is an evangelist with headquarters at 2804 Pine St. He was born February 24, 1851, Warren County, Mo. Has been 48 years in church work, 41 years of which he has spent in the ministry.

FREE TRANSPORTATION SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS FROM STREET CAR LINE TO FATHER DICKSON CEMETERY

For the convenience of the public, beginning with the second Sunday in May (9th) automobiles will meet every street car to take persons to Father Dickson Cemetery and return.

Direction—From any car line running north and south transfer to Manchester-Meramec and get off at Springtown Road, just before reaching Sappington Road, after leaving Webster Grove, one will notice on the south side of the track a large club-shaped golf link (West Wood Country Club) get off at the west end of these grounds.

For trips during the week write or phone manager and an automobile will call for you without cost. Manager's residence, 2413 Goode Ave. Bell phone, Lindell 1841. Cemetery phone, Kirkwood 287W.

"POP" ADAMS OPENS CONFECTIONERY STORE AT 2122 MARKET

Mrs. Steve Adams, widow of the late trombone player, and "Pop" Adams, her father-in-law, have opened a confectionery store at 2122 Market, near the entrance to the new Garden Airplane. Their stock includes ice cream, soft drinks, candies, popcorn, etc. They would be pleased to meet their friends and acquaintances.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

The last of the series of the Men's Meetings was held at Douglas Hall last Sunday and a large number of men attended. From among a committee has arranged to have a Life Problem group meeting every Sunday at 3:30 P. M., at the Y. M. C. A. Building. All men are cordially invited to be present.

The Glee Club continues to meet on Monday night at 8:45 P. M. While the glee club is making steady progress, there are still vacancies for any men who may care to join. Mr. Keston, the director, has said that any man may join whether he can read music or not so that the janagars of the Glee Club will be glad to welcome any one who may care to come in.

On Saturday night, May 1, the reception to new members is to be held, at which time the Association will entertain its members and others.

On Saturday, May 1, the Y. M. C. A. baseball team is to play Lincoln High School at East St. Louis. Under the management of J. D. C. L. Thomas, the association is hoping for a winning team.

TRY SEN-EKA TONIC

For your blood, stomach and kidneys. Large \$1.00 bottles for 25 cents, at 2033 Market St.

WAYMAN CHAPEL NOTES

The first Sunday, May 2, 1915, the pastor wishes to see every member of his church out at Communion Service.

Monday night—The grand opening of the ice-cream parlor and barbecue stand.

Second Sunday, May 9th, baptizing of several candidates.

Monday night, May 10th, a rendition of "Dunbar," under the auspices of Fowler and Webb, promises to be a grand entertainment.

The Joint Sister Stewards of St. Paul and Wayman Chapel, A. M. E. Church, is to be a high class affair.

Tuesday night, May 20, the Jubilee Singers will come to you here, so don't miss any of these entertainments for they all will be a rare treat.

Rev. J. W. Carter, Pastor.

SUES FOR \$10,000 GETS ONE CENT

Argus Wins Victory in Damage Suit of Mosby Against Publishing Co., and Two Lawyers. Prominent Citizens Take Interest in Trial. Negro Attorneys Make Eloquent Pleas.

After a trial which consumed most of last week, a jury in Division No. 4 of the Circuit Court, over which Judge Leo S. Rastner presided, returned a verdict in which Benjamin H. Mosby, teacher of history in Sumner High School, was awarded one cent damages. The suit was for libel and grew out of the publication of an article in the St. Louis Argus last September which purported to give an account of a hearing before the school board of the city of St. Louis against the plaintiff. On the count for punitive or exemplary damages, the jury found against Mosby but on the count for actual damage sustained to his reputation and for the embarrassment and loss consequent thereon, the jury found for him and awarded him the sum of one cent. A demurrer to the evidence was sustained as to the defendant Meadows and the jury was instructed to return a verdict in his favor on all counts of the petition but the plaintiff's attorneys were permitted to dismiss the case against Meadows and it was taken from the consideration of the jury so far as he was concerned.

The trial of this case will long be remembered in this city. Many of St. Louis' most prominent Negro citizens were called as witnesses as well as members of the school board. The handling of the case was very skillful, and the addresses of the attorneys for the defense were masterpieces of eloquence and logic. According to the opinion of those in attendance, and attaches of the court, Messrs. Phillips and Vaughn talked "moss" around Gov. Johnson and his associates, and the whole city is ringing with their praise. The verdict is a moral victory for the Argus and forces which have been trying to bring about better conditions at Sumner High School.

The evidence proved that the defendants had no malice in publishing the article, but only desired to show the real condition that existed in the Sumner High School.

PAYS ONE CENT VERDICT

L. A. Knox, of Kansas City, Mo., Grand Attorney Knights of Pythias, spent a few days in our city this week looking after some legal work in connection with his office in the Knights of Pythias.

He was a pleasant caller at the Argus office Saturday and upon being apprised of the fact that a verdict of one cent had been awarded B. H. Mosby in the \$10,000 damage suit against the Argus, and others, readily offered to pay the damage, and immediately turned over the amount to the attorneys in good faith, thus relieving the defendants of the burden.

PROF. WILLIAM PICKENS

We are presenting, herewith, a good likeness of Mr. William Pickens, the brilliant orator who is to speak at Central Baptist Church, May 7, at 8 p. m., under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A.

The subject of the address will be "Fifty Years of Emancipation," and the comments of the papers all over the country rate this lecture as a masterpiece. The co-operation of some of the leading churches, and of the executive committee of the N. A. A. C. P. has been promised so that a large crowd is looked for on the night of May 7.



GRAND STUDENT RECITAL

Mrs. Frances E. Motion's School of Expression will give a recital at Metropolitan Zion Church, Garrison and Lucas, Thursday Evening, May 6, for the benefit of the \$5,000 rally. Mrs. Motion has promised to deliver her famous masterpiece, "Do Grant A. Robbins, pastor Union M. E. Church, will speak at the close of program. General admission 25 cents. Auspices: Melrose Club, Mrs. Lucy Bledsoe, Capt.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Dr. F. F. Martyn, the pastor, will be absent next Sunday and there will be no preaching service in the morning. All members are notified that a general covenant service will be held in the morning and the regular communion service in the afternoon. The Golden Wedge Club will have charge of the evening service, preaching by Bro. Granville Pillow.

OUT OF TOWN NEWS

FARMINGTON, MO.

By D. F. Baker

COLUMBIA, MO. NEWS

By E. Robert Donnan O'Neil
Places where you can get the St. Louis Argus every Saturday and Sunday. Messrs. J. W. Mitchell, Geo. Merritt, Prop.

COLUMBUS, MISS. NEWS

By Rebecca Walker
Mrs. Sufie Richards passed away Sunday afternoon at 4:30 to a better land, leaving a niece and a host of friends to mourn her loss. Also she is a great loss to the church. Rev. J. W. Mitchell officiated. The Happy Day Club expect a great business this summer in the social line, as they are about to get on foot again with the assistance of their new president, Mr. Charlie Gilmer.

HERCULANEUM, MO. NEWS

By Francis B. Craig
Mr. and Mrs. Simon McCoy were visitors in St. Louis last week. Mrs. C. W. Wallace, of the guest of Mrs. U. S. Collins. Friday and Saturday. Messrs. Frank Statem, Melvin Nelson, Antwine, and others were visitors here Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood spent a day with relatives in St. Louis last week. Mrs. Jas. Craig is second in Hillsburg, Monday, on business. Mrs. Jennie Nelson was in Festus on Saturday. Mrs. Nellie Lee, of St. Louis, was a visitor here last week. Mrs. Nellie Conn and Francis Craig visited friends in Festus recently. Misses Nancie Rector, Lucile Valle and Mr. Fred Hoffman spent Sunday in Festus. Mrs. Evelyn Whitesides spent a few days with her sister in Florio.

ELMWOOD PARK NEWS

By Mary Pruitt
All are cordially invited to attend the Bazaar given by the Elmwood Baptist Church, Saturday evening, May 10. Messrs. Ray, Watson, Winnetta Madison and Mary Pruitt were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Minnie Howard, Sunday. Rev. Barksdale held a quarterly meeting Sunday at St. Luke A. M. E. Church.

JEFFERSON CITY NEWS

By W. C. Majors
The Civic work of the Unity League is progressing nicely under the direction of Mrs. D. Diggs. The city is divided into districts and judges have been elected to advise the people to keep their premises clean so as to make a healthy, good-looking city. The League offers four prizes to the best kept premises. First prize, \$5.00 in gold; second, material equivalent to \$2.00; so let everybody enter the campaign and boost for greater Jefferson City. The sick committee too deserves much credit for their faithful work. We cordially invite all visitors while in Jefferson City to our meeting every Sunday, 8:15 sharp. Every one is invited to a very interesting program. The debate at the Second Baptist Church rendered by the Lyceum Literary Society was enjoyed by all. The subject was: "That moving picture shows are detrimental to a community." The affirmative side won by two points. The society is open to the public to their meeting every Thursday, 8:00 p. m. Dr. Garnett, president of the Western College, lecturer in our meeting. Mr. Whitehead here preached a good sermon at the Second Baptist Church. Colonel A. L. Thomas made a flying trip to Kansas City on Saturday. He reports a pleasant time. Mr. G. Flynn, the undertaker, is now making trips in his automobile. Miss Ford, is home again after a very successful term of school in Chamonia, Mo. Dr. Caston, of St. Louis, was in our city on business with our different lodges a few days ago. The Brotherhood met every Sunday at the Second Baptist Church. The organization is for the purpose of bringing our brothers in closer union to the church. Mr. Emerson died Saturday night after a brief illness. He was an old citizen here. Miss Alberta Rankin, the secretary of the Unity League deserves much credit for her excellent service. The High City Tossers will have their first meeting about May 1. The line up is strengthened with several new faces who will don the new uniform this season. Miss Rosetta Bennett will be somewhat busy this week entertaining the new Ladies' Aid Society for a few days. Old Joe Jefferson City, take a look at Mr. Mar-

phy Clark made a fine talk Sunday at the meeting of the Brotherhood to a large audience. Rev. Burton resigned the pastorate at St. Vincent's, Mo., owing to his health. The Creation pictures are being exhibited at Lincoln Institute this week. Mrs. Chas. Hardman has purchased a new piano which is one of the essential features of a home. Mrs. D. Bell returned Saturday evening after a few days' visit out of the city.

EAST SAINT LOUIS, ILLINOIS

The pupils of Lincoln School presented the Opera, "Iolanthe," Friday, April 23, before a large audience. All participants played their parts well. Much to be commended for her activity in preparing the pupils for the opera. Miss Phoebe Perry acted as pianist. The Night School closed Friday night after a very successful term. All of the teachers as well as their students have done well and are to be commended for their efforts. The Parents and Teachers held another of their meetings Sunday at the True Light Baptist Church. A large crowd was present and the meeting was a success in every way. The Sunset Tennis Club held its spring meeting at the home of Mrs. Oliver, 1377 Market Ave., Monday evening. After all business was transacted, the remainder of the evening was spent socially. Miss Alberta O'Leary was hostess.

FESTUS, MO. NEWS

By Mrs. A. N. Charleston
Rev. Grady has returned for the second year. We are glad to have him back. Rev. Morris, the evangelist, closed a three weeks' meeting at the Baptist Church. Miss Alice McGee, of Mt. Zion closed her school April 23, with an excellent concert. Prof. W. C. St. Louis, at the closing of the Douglas School. Miss Georgia Garner was a visitor in St. Louis last week.

ST. MARY NEWS

By E. G. R.
The closing exercises of St. Mary's school were held in the hall Friday evening. Miss Berryman is to be complimented on the splendid way she conducted the pupils. She has closed one of the most successful terms St. Mary has ever witnessed. Miss Nelson and Elzy Smith were present to receive the diplomas by Prof. Meyers, who delivered an eloquent address. As a special treat the pupils were given an outing and fish fry on the Saturday. Mrs. Harrison Merideth, of St. Louis, spent the week end with his parents. The St. Mary's Cubes are planning a cricket bats with the St. Genevieve team. Mr. Burned Merideth, who is employed in Chester, spent Sunday with relatives.

CAPE GIRARDEAU, MO. NEWS

By H. N. Jones
Monday night, Club No. 2, of the A. M. E. Church gave an entertainment. Tuesday night, the Literary Society rendered an excellent program. Thursday was picnic day at Mesdames L. H. Pollard, Cora Martin, Rosa Young, Hoyle and Miss Riley, the sportsmen of St. Louis, and Miss Alma Hines, of Charleston, were quietly married by Rev. J. A. Chandler. The couple left Friday. Thursday evening, Charles B. Beter, age 55 years died at the home of Mr. Wm. B. Franklin. Mr. Franklin should be complimented as his home is always made welcome to the homeless. Friday, the Missionary Club of the A. M. E. Church met at Mrs. Laura Davis. Saturday was the opening day of the Spring Ice Cream and Soda Parlor on Sprigg St. Sunday, Rev. Chandler, who underwent an operation a few days ago being unable to occupy his stated church meeting was enjoyed at the morning services and the Literary Society rendered a good program at the evening service. Sunday, Mrs. B. E. Bronson and Mr. Robert Burnett, of Belmont, Mo., were united in Holy wedlock by Rev. S. M. Arthur, at the home of the bride mother, 413 N. Sprigg. There were only a few intimate friends present. The couple left for Belmont on the evening train, where they will make their home. Sunday was, rally day for the pastor at the Baptist Church. The total amount announced, \$38.00.

When the intelligence reached the of the painful accident of Miss Dora Boddie in being struck by a car in St. Louis Thursday, we were deeply grieved. Besides other injuries her nose was broken. Her mother, Mrs. P. Boddie and Mrs. Laura Kennedy left Sunday to administer to her needs. Mr. Chas. Baker had two very busy days in the hospital and was unable to attend to the credit of their literary ability. Mr. Chas. Coffman, spent a day here last week shopping. Rev. Brooks spent last week here with his family and attending to business. His family will remain here until after commencement. Rev. Reynolds arrived Saturday from a business trip to St. Charles, Mo. Hills will be due Mr. Kennedy had the misfortune of sticking a nail in his foot. The same faculty of Douglas School has been selected for the coming year. Mrs. Leora Simpson was hostess to the True Light Baptist Church, at which time the ladies gave a "sumpuous" and discussed "The Church of Today and its Needs." Mrs. Chas. Baker is recovering rapidly. Mr. F. M. Cayce has added a merry-go-round to the collection of lawn amusements and it is proving quite a drawing card for the children. Mr. J. A. Robinson, Jr., has got the county seat at killing and making the method if you have any fear of the reptiles. It was a long distance stunt.

TUPELO, MISS. NEWS

By Mrs. M. Wilson
Mr. Tommie Lee Arnold, who is now playing with the Jackson, Tenn. Club opened the second game of this season against the Nashville Standard. The collection of a score of 12-4 in favor of Jackson. Mr. Arnold spent Sunday in Tupelo on business returning back to Jackson on Monday evening in order to be ready for the next game against the Cairo Giants, Thursday. Everybody wishes Arnold success. Mrs. Mary Johnson, of Memphis, Tenn., en route to Shannan, Miss., to spend a month with her mother, stopped a few hours with Mrs. Helen Terry here. Rev. Wm. Albright, who is the pastor of the church, to the bedside of his mother who is very ill. The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Green, April 11, and left a 14 pound baby girl. Her name is Ozie Adeline Terrell. Messrs. Charley Duke, Willie Rogers and little Reynolds Wilson are on the sick list. Mrs. Patten died April 17, age 53 years. Rev. Stevenson officiated. She leaves three daughters and two sons to mourn her loss. Mr. Freeman died April 17, leaving a wife, mother and a host of friends. He is sadly missed by all. The G. T. C. was entertained Tuesday night at the residence of Mr. S. E. Marshall.

Everyone Can Dance At The Dreamland Ball

Everybody will get a chance to dance to their heart's content at the Dreamland Ball Monday night, May 10. Miss Jeannette Mack has arranged a program that, besides the special numbers, will include the old dances; two steps, waltzes, plain military lancers, one step and later dances such as Maxine, Folk, Brestienne, La-La-Fado, fox trot, Furlana Dip, La Russe, etc. All dances will be led by competent dancers so that anyone who can dance the old and is not acquainted with the new can get along all right by following the leader. The event is to be informal, not full dress. You can dress as you please.

AN EXTRAORDINARY MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN

For the Royal Circle of friends of the world, a modern and progressive secret fraternity for Negroes, operating in Arkansas, Tennessee, Texas, Oklahoma, Georgia, Mississippi, Missouri, Kansas, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Kentucky, Alabama and Louisiana, membership nearly thirty thousand within five years can women to push this campaign. Make a livelihood during spare time. For further information call at Royal Circle's headquarters at the northern jurisdiction. Dr. R. A. Williams, supreme grand president and founder of the Royal Circle of friends of the world, Helena, Arkansas. Mr. Rebecca C. Douglas, supreme organizer for northern jurisdiction. Headquarters, 209 N. Jefferson Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

ASPIC JELLY BY OLD METHOD

Flavor Universally Admired of the Far Superior to That Made in the Eastern Way.

Old-fashioned housekeepers cling to the old way of making aspic, claiming that its flavor is far superior to the easier made product. It is indeed excellent and in cold weather keeps as good as well as where salinity is used to stiffen. Get from the butcher a knuckle bone of ham, a calf's foot and a knuckle of veal. Put into two quarts of cold water, and set over the fire where it will come slowly to a boil. Add one onion with four cloves stuck into it, a large carrot, a bunch of soup herbs and a spiced bag. Cook gently for four or five hours until the water is reduced about one-half. Strain and set aside to cool.

When cold remove every suspicion of fat and return the thickened jelly to a clean saucepan with the crushed shells and beaten whites of two eggs. A tablespoonful of tarragon vinegar, and lemon juice or wine as preferred, to season. Salt and pepper to taste, and keep stirring until the mixture reaches the boiling point and a thick soup has formed. Remove that, then draw to one side of the fire and skimmer gently for the creaming year. The back covered, until the jelly settles, then strain through a fine sieve or three times until quite clear. Pour into a mold that has been soaked in cold water, then pass in a pan of snow or broken ice until hard. If you desire to have the jelly a pretty red color, add sufficient tomato juice for the same time and add the lemon or wine.

RECIPES IN AN ANCIENT ONE

Noel Cake for Many Years a Favorite Both in This Country and in England.

To three cupsful of sugar add two and one-half cupsful of softened butter and whip to a light, white cream. Add ten eggs, two at a time, beating well, and add a teaspoonful of salt. Turn add four well sifted cupsful of flour to which one teaspoonful of baking powder has been added; mix the whole well and add one-half cupful of shredded citron, four cupsful of washed and dried currants, one teaspoonful each of nutmeg and cloves and one-half cupful of fruit juice. Mix well and pour into a paper-lined tin, which is also well protected with paper on the outside. Bake for two and one-half hours in a moderate oven. This should be made at least a week before serving it. When ready to serve, wrap each slice in white paper, and tie with a red ribbon and sprig of fir tucked under the ribbon.—The Mother's Magazine.

Beef Used in Salad.

Although beef is not at all an ideal salad meat, surprisingly good meat salad may be made from a small piece of boiled beef (should be half a pound) such meat cut in small pieces and mixed with dairy cooked vegetables and a mayonnaise dressing may be very tasty and will make an unexpectedly large salad.

The vinaigrette of beef, a popular way with the French of using left over boiled beef, is served in the same thing as a beef salad, except that the meat is cut in as pretty slices as possible and allowed to lie in the dressing for a time before it is served. What is called marinating the beef. It is good for luncheon, with hot vegetables.

Vinaigrette of Beef.

Cut in thin slices some left over boiled beef and let it lie an hour in a marinating mixture made as follows: This one scant teaspoonful of mustard with enough oil and vinegar to soak the meat in. Use half and half oil and vinegar, or three times as much oil as vinegar, according to taste. Add salt and pepper and chopped fine herbs to taste. A little chopped onion may be used and the dish in which the meat is marinated may be rubbed with a clove of garlic.

Rice and Bacon.

Boil one cupful of rice in plenty of boiling salted water until done. Put in a colander and wash several times in cold water or hold under faucet and shake in a round casserole with one-fourth cupful of butter. Sprinkle the top with paprika and cover with vegetable oil and stir three minutes longer and arrange in a mound on a heated dish. Garnish with slices of hard-boiled eggs and serve at once.

Spinach With Eggs.

Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter; when bubbling blend in one cupful of flour, then add one cupful of finely chopped spinach and cook and stir five minutes. Add half cupful of onion, one-half cupful of milk and stir three minutes longer and arrange in a mound on a heated dish. Garnish with slices of hard-boiled eggs and serve at once.

Prune Cocktail.

Soak over night, stew and strain the largest prunes. Sweeten slightly, salt, and thoroughly chop ice and chop small. Add to the prune juice orange and lemon juice to flavor, stir in chopped fruit and serve in glasses banked with crushed ice.

To Clean Brass Brads.
To clean brass brads that have become tarnished, apply a mixture of olive oil and whiting, then rub clean with a soft, dry flannel or cambric cloth.

Watkins Piano

Store Having Big Success

Chas. H. Watkins, the piano man, reports a big success in the piano field during the month of March. The Watkinst Piano and players which Mr. Watkins is handling in his new store at 2505 Laclede Ave., are taking the lead in popularity. Miss Helen, Eugenia Hagen, selected one of Mr. Watkins' pianos for use in her concert, at Central Baptist Church, April 6.

Among those who have purchased pianos and players during the existence of the new store are: Mr. O'Brien (white) Leflingwell and Market; W. E. Goodloe, 3105 Lawton; Miss Hubbard, 2338 Scott; Mrs. Ola Marshall, 2345 Market; Mrs. Wheeler, 4287 St. Ferdinand; Mrs. Jeanette Simmons, 2223 Walnut; Mrs. Woodard, 2621 Walnut; Miss Sarah McReynolds, 4050 Finney and Mrs. Lumsden, 3000 Pine. Prospective cannot do better than call at the Watkins Piano Store, 2505 Laclede or phone Bonum 1792W, and have Mr. Watkins call upon them.

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THE ONE CENT VERDICT

After weighing carefully all of the evidence, a jury decided last week that the Argus and those who joined it in an effort to make better conditions for the children who attend Sumner High School were not actuated by motives of malice or ill will, nor had they wantonly assailed the character of any one. The refusal of the jury to assess punitive (punishment) damages against the defendants in the case establishes entirely the sincerity, honesty of purpose and good faith of the Argus and the other defendants. The other part of the verdict, which awards Mosby one cent in damages for injury to his reputation, humiliation and pecuniary loss, says in effect that the jury believed his reputation had been impaired and injured just one cent's worth.

The plaintiff's lawyers asked for a substantial money verdict on each count in the petition, both to repay him for loss, damage to reputation and humiliation, and to punish the defendants for exhibiting malice and ill will and for wantonly assailing the character of citizens. The verdict of the jury is a victory for the Argus and the other defendants.

ANOTHER PHASE OF SEGREGATION

Do we believe in segregation? Why, certainly. It is an absolute necessity to civilization. The safety of the people demands it. It is a vital part of every well-organized community. The highest legal, medical and theological authority upholds it. Were it not for segregation, cultured America would plunge into the reign of chaos and darkness.

Of course we believe in segregation because we believe that it is right to maintain prisons where we may segregate the law-breakers from the law-abiding—the criminals from the peaceable. We believe that it is right to maintain pest-houses where we may segregate the infected from the healthy. We believe that it is a good thing to have city ordinances that we may segregate slaughter houses and other public nuisances from the residential neighborhoods. We believe in the Bible because it teaches that God Himself segregates the sinners from the righteous, with absolutely no intercourse between them, because "there is a great gulf fixed." Thus it may be seen that we have the highest legal, medical and theological authority for segregation.

Of course we believe in segregation. We believe that every drunkard, man or woman, white or colored, should be taken into custody by a police officer and segregated in jail. We believe that every stray dog should be picked up by the dog-catchers and segregated in the pound. We believe that all gun-toters, pool-room loafers, street walkers, crooks, habitual criminals and others who are a menace to public morality and law and order should all be segregated, both colored and white.

Certainly we believe in segregation. It is vitally necessary, in its place. But its place is, not to separate on the basis of color, but of character.

PATRONIZING NEGRO BUSINESS

This question of Negro patronage is one of the most important race questions with which we have to deal. There seems to be so much misunderstanding on the subject that the Argus wishes to make the matter clear.

The general impression is that the Negro should have our patronage only when he can deliver the goods. But that is entirely wrong. The Negro should have our patronage because he is a Negro. It is not a question of competition with white dealers; it is a question of our obligation to the Negro dealers. How can the Negro dealer compete with the white dealer? How can the Negro's fifty years of national existence compare with the white man's hundreds of years of civilization? How can Negro business, necessarily small, measure up to white business, naturally large.

Is it reasonable or logical to expect our Men's Furnisher to compete with the Grand Leader? or our grocers to compete with the great white enterprises? or our newspapers to compete with the Globe-Democrat? They have wealth, numbers, experience, prestige behind them. We have nothing—not even the support of our own people.

If our enterprises did have the support of our people, if Negroes would patronize Negroes exclusively, it would not be long before we could compete with the whites in many lines, and favorably. Until then, competition is out of the question.

But, we repeat, it is not a question of competition it is a question of obligation. If competition were the logical condition of patronage, then the Argus says, unhesitatingly, why patronize the Negro at all?

There is hardly a Negro man or woman who would want to see this condition in fact, though he accepts the truth in the

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The Trust Company of St. Louis County is Trustee of the lots in East Kinloch Subdivision of Jones Farm, having been named in the will of Mrs. Agnes Jones. The Trust Company of St. Louis County will give you a Warranty Deed to these lots when half paid for. Can you get better title than from a Trust Company?

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SAVE this advertisement. It may be valuable to you some day as a basis of a payment.

EAST KINLOCH SALES COMPANY

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Myron Turnquest and Mrs. Grace Carlton in the "Love Moon Waltz," one of the feature dances in Dreamland Ball, Monday night, May 10. This is a composition of Miss Jeanette Mack and during its execution Mrs. Carlton will sing "Love Moon."

Then let us stop talking about making the condition of our patronage that the Negro dealer give us the same service, the same experience, the same advantages as the white dealer. He cannot do it. Not until we first give him our patronage, thus supplying him capital and support and encouragement and incentive.

Besides, let us not forget that the white man has for years used the millions of Negroes to help build up his business and given him nothing in return—other than the mere goods his money paid for. If these same millions of Negroes would concentrate on the building up of Negro business, they would gain everything in return—race pride and unity, commercial prosperity, property, development, occupation, advancement, experience, and, in addition to all this, equal service, value and prices with the white dealers.

It is a race question, and one in which lies our race salvation. The fundamental duty of every Negro is to patronize a fellow Negro.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

The campaign for collection of subscriptions is now on and if you are not seen by one of our workers, just mail your subscription in or call at the Association office and pay it. Help us to collect \$2,000 so that the work of remodeling of new home will begin.

Every day we are turning away young women for the lack of adequate room.

"The Lady of Shalotte," an opera, will be rendered by our Choral Club June 7. Our choral is doing excellent work under the direction of Mrs. George W. Evans.

Vespers will be held in the Association rooms Sunday at 4:45 p. m. You are cordially invited.

3 NIGHTS! 3 NIGHTS!

The treat of the season will be the Persian May Festival at St. Paul A. M. E. Church, May 5, 6 and 7. Wednesday night, May 5th, musical and literary program by some of the best local talent; Thursday night, May 6th, moving picture entertainment; Friday night, May 7, band concert.

Beautiful and attractive booths will be conducted by the various departments of the church. Special attractions by the Juvenile Mite Missionary Society in the Ladies' Parlor. S. A. Williams, C. N. Chairman, Katie Brown, Gen. Sec'y, Minnie M. Ross, Pres., Rev. W. Sampson Brooks, Pastor. Admission 10 cents, children 5 cents.

The Free Under Age Kindergarten at the Metropolitan A. M. E. Zion Church will give a May Festival and Reception Thursday afternoon, May 6, from 4 to 6 p. m. A cordial welcome is extended to all. Come and bring your friends. Good speakers. Refreshments served. Mrs. Victoria Turner, Directress. Mrs. Anna Lee, Assistant. Rev. B. G. Shaw, Pastor.

Two free lectures at the Metropolitan A. M. E. Zion Church, Wednesday and Thursday, May 12 and 13, 1915, by Prince Frederick Kaba Rego. First lecture course: A trip to British East Africa with views from the Nile to the Nyroba. Lecture No. 2: A trip through the Isthmus of Panama, with the views from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

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When the air gets frosty, muffins amount a high pedestal in the estimation of breakfasters, and there they stay until spring. Here are some recipes for good muffins.

Put a tablespoonful of butter in a cupful of corn meal and a cupful of white wheat flour for delicious corn muffins. Then add a teaspoonful of sugar, half a teaspoonful of salt and a teaspoonful of baking powder. Break an egg into three-quarters of a cupful of milk, and stir well with milk if necessary to make it full. Pour this into the flour and mix it thoroughly. Bake quickly in a hot oven.

Make rye muffins this way: Mix two-thirds of a cupful of rye meal and a third of a cupful of white wheat flour. Add a quarter of a teaspoonful of salt and a half of a cupful of well-beaten eggs mixed with a teaspoonful of milk, and beat for three minutes. Add two teaspoonfuls of butter, melted, and mix. Bake in hot muffin tins.

Here is a recipe for cream muffins that always turns out well: Mix a cupful of graham flour and the same amount of wheat flour with a quarter of a cupful of milk, a tablespoonful of butter and one egg. Beat well and bake for about twenty-five minutes in a hot oven.

These English buns are a favorite with those who like slightly sweet breakfast breads. To make them rub half a cupful of butter with three tablespoonfuls of sugar and a pinch of salt. Add two well-beaten eggs and then add, alternately, two cupfuls of flour, sifted with a teaspoonful of baking powder and milk to make a stiff dough. Add at the same time half a cupful of currants. Roll out about an inch thick, cut with a biscuit cutter and bake in a slow oven.

Bally Lun is a tempting muffin. Sift a pint of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder and half a teaspoonful of salt and add half a cupful of milk, half a cupful of melted butter and two beaten egg yolks. Mix thoroughly. Then add two egg whites beaten stiff. Drop the batter in muffin tins and bake. It is a stiff batter and when the egg whites are folded in they do not mix completely with the other ingredients, and so the tops of the muffins are somewhat irregular.

Cornmeal muffins require fine meal, not the coarse sort used as cereal. Mix a cupful of it with three cupfuls of white wheat flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder and a liberal teaspoonful of salt. Rub in a tablespoonful of butter and a half of a cupful of milk. Beat two eggs and add them to a pint of milk and pour this gradually into the egg ingredients. Mix thoroughly and bake quickly in a hot oven in muffin tins.

Custard Souffle.

Here is a nice dessert: Rub two scant teaspoonfuls of butter to a cream, add two teaspoonfuls of flour and pour on gradually one cupful of hot milk; cook eight minutes in double boiler, stirring often. Separate the yolks and whites of four eggs; beat the yolks, add two tablespoonfuls of sugar, then add to the milk and set away to cool. Half an hour before serving beat the egg whites till stiff, then pour them in lightly. Bake in a buttered pudding dish in a moderate oven for 30 minutes and serve at once.

Gravy for Beef or Mutton.

One-half cupful walnut catchup, one small tomato catchup, one small cupful sherry (may be omitted), one tablespoonful butter, rubbed smooth with four; one small onion chopped very fine, one teaspoonful currant jelly. Salt and pepper.

When thoroughly mixed lay slices of the meat in a dish, pour the gravy over, then set dish in the oven until all is well heated through. Serve.

Not a Large Quantity.

Note that you should not try too large a quantity of anything at one time, and that the fat must be reheated between each batch of frying. Any one who cannot fry, gives enough fat and the proper implements, after a couple of trials is either abnormally stupid or is too troubling to carry out directions correctly.

Jumbalaya.

After washing one cupful of rice, let it soak one hour. Cut up a cold roast chicken and a slice of lean ham, and fry them in a tablespoonful of lard. Mix in the rice slowly, while stirring, add one pint of hot water. Cover closely, and let simmer until the rice is nearly dry. A couple of spoonfuls of hamato may be added, if the flavor is desired.

Fish Stuffed With Rice.

One cupful of rice, one cupful of bread crumbs, one cupful cold chopped meat. Mix and season with salt, chopped onion, onion and celery, one teaspoonful each. Clean a whitefish, fill with the mixture and bake as usual. Serve with tomato sauce.

Coasting Custard.

Do not leave the oven hot when cooking custard, or the custard will become watery. Set the custard in a pan of hot water and one that it does not boil during the process.

SOCIETY

AND LOCAL NOTES

NOTICE

All communications for the current issue of the Argus must be in this office not later than Wednesday noon each week. Out-of-town correspondents must send their news to us to reach us not later than Tuesday noon. Editor.

Mr. W. Frank Adams, of 4004 Cook Ave., left the city for a four months' stay in Culver, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kelley, of 4324 A. Lucky St., entertained at their beautiful home in honor of Mr. Joseph Benton at dinner on Sunday evening, April 25. A delightful menu, as follows, was served: Fried chicken, French peas, potato salad and finger rolls, ice cream and cake. The host presented each young lady present the first link in a friendship bracelet. Those present were: Misses Ruth Arnett, Trolia Smith, Agnes Rhodes, Jane Bullock, Mrs. Robt. Bell, Fred Edwards, Mary Dixon, Messrs. Fred Banks, Smith, Jesse J. Johnson, Joseph Benton and W. Silas Pearce.

Mr. DeWitt Carter and Miss Inez Franklin, both well-known, and the younger set, were quietly married last Saturday.

The N. P. J. Social Club's affair at Pythian Temple on Monday night, April 19, was very well attended.

Mrs. W. McDowell, of 4171 Fairfax Ave., is up and about after her accident of some few weeks ago.

Miss Etta Samuel, of 4292 Lucky St., is up and going to school again after recovering from her accident of some few weeks ago.

Mr. Jesse J. Johnson, of 2727 Mills St., the well-known dancing master and social leader, entertained a few friends at luncheon on Sunday evening, April 18. A delightful menu was served. Those present were: Misses Jane Bullock, Mary Dixon, Etta Mae Bragg, Fay Edwards, Trolia Smith and Agnes Rhodes. Messrs. Joseph Benton, Fred Banks, W. Silas Pearce and the Host.

Mrs. Chas. E. Herriot, of 4300 W. Market, left Thursday to spend the summer in the east. She will visit Washington, Philadelphia, New York and spend most of the summer at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Louise Smith, 2730 Mill St., has been suffering from a cold for some time. She will be glad to see friends.

H. C. Ashford, of 23rd and Market, has opened a cafe and grill room at the corner of 23rd and Market St.

BARBER SHOP FOR RENT

The Douglas Hotel Barber Shop, with chairs, etc., is for rent. See me at 2645 Lawton Avenue, Mrs. Cent. 5396L. Douglas Hotel.

WANTED—Professional Manicurist. Call 3001 Lawton Ave. (4-30-6)

The Married Ladies' Thimble Club held their monthly meeting at the residence of Mrs. Marie Rice. After work a guessing contest was offered for amusement. Mrs. Jessie D. Robinson was the first prize, Mrs. Coleman the "Booky".

Mrs. Bertha T. Buckner, Pres. Susie V. Harigraives, Secy.

Mrs. Fannie Givens, 4383 Cottage Ave., is very ill.

The Don't Worry Club was entertained by Mrs. Addie S. Hobbs, 2231 Lucas Ave., last Wednesday, April 21. Music was furnished by blind Jackson, which all seemed to appreciate, and a delightful lunch was served. Guests of honor were Mrs. E. Dorson, Mrs. Jinks, Mrs. Mary Robinson and M. McKinzie and Mrs. Eva McDonald, the last being a visitor of Memphis, Tenn.

LADIES ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Mamie Everett, of Ladora, Ark., and Mrs. Savannah Lewis, of Fayette, Miss., were highly entertained at a grand reception given in their honor by the young people of the Pleasant Green Baptist Church on last Thursday night.

In response, they all were invited to the homes of the visiting ladies and were assured they would not regret the trip.

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Ice cream, soda, candies and cigars. Ladies' and gent's suits cleaned and pressed. Laundry branch and shoe shining parlor. Phone, Bomont 2885. 6 S. Ewing Ave.

Rev. C. M. C. Mason, rector of All Saints Church is visiting his daughter, Winifred, who is a student at Asheville, N.C. He will visit in Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York before returning home.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

James A. G. Brooks, 4224a Finney, Bertha Virginia Horne, 4049a Cook, Sumner L. McCullough, 2633 Lawton, Ethel Howell, 2212 Truesdale, Mo. Alphonsie McAdoo, 2636 Papin, Alasia Noble, 2302 Scott, Henry Ward, 2212 Pine, Percy C. Buckner, 2212 Pine, Corry S. Jordan, 2031 Pine, Minnie E. Perry, 1541 Singleton, Richard E. Alexander, 3116 Clark, Mrs. Fannie Harper, 17 S. Compton, George W. King, 2026 Chestnut, Miss Betty Carter, 2026 Chestnut.

MISS ANNIE CANTRELL MARRIES

Word has just been received by friends of Miss Annie Cantrell, formerly of this city, but now a resident of Duluth, Minn., that she was recently married to Mr. C. M. Banks, a young business man of Duluth.

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Mrs. Bertha Robertson, of Memphis, Tenn., is here to attend the funeral of her sister, Miss Stella Blackman.

Miss Myrtle L. Jackson, of 4053a West Belle, has returned home to attend the funeral of her aunt.

Miss Josephine LaParie, of Edwinstown, Ill., was the guest of Mrs. Lillian Word, 3015 Caroline St., last week.

Mrs. Lorenza Speed, of 2837 Lucas Ave., has returned from Springfield, Ill., where she spent several pleasant days.

The funeral of Miss Stella Blackman, will be held from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Hollister, 4053a West Belle Place, Friday afternoon, at 1 o'clock.

The friends of Mrs. Hattie Johnson, (manager at Commercial Hotel, Corner Ewing Ave. and Morgan St.) will be pleased to learn that she is much improved and considered out of danger by her physician. She has been confined to her bed for six weeks suffering from tonsillitis and erysipelas. Her mother and sister, from Ozarkdale, Ark., are at her bedside with her.

The Married Ladies' Needle Club met at the residence of Mrs. Mamie Richmond, 2902 Lucas Ave., with a social gathering. The next meeting will be held May 5th at the residence of Mrs. Sarah Banks and Miss Lela Bostic. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess. The club arranged for election of officers at their next regular meeting, at the residence of Mrs. C. T. Curtis, 1701 N. Garrison.

Mrs. A. C. Owens, Pres., Mrs. C. T. Curtis, Sec.

Miss Lillie Young, 3315 Market St., who will receive an operation for appendicitis, April 21, is getting along fine, she is at the City Hospital.

Dr. Jacob Capers, a student of McBarry Medical College, was the guest of Miss M. B. Berry, April 23. He was en route to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris, of 4288 Cote Brillante, entertained the Violet Whist Club, April 21. All members reported having spent a pleasant evening. The next meeting will be held May 5th at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Woods, 4314a Garfield. Mrs. J. F. Johnson, Pres., Mrs. T. Morris, Sec., Mrs. J. F. Johnson, Treas.

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Mrs. J. F. Robinson, M. M. Emily E. Murphy, Asst. M. M., Mary Mitchell, Directors.

The Married Ladies' Embroidery Club, gave their sixth annual reception April 12, 1915, for their husbands at the residence of their president, Madame Laura J. Casey, 1710 Franklin Ave.

Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames: R. Porter, Stanley, Epperson, Moore, Bowman, Clarke, Johnson, White, Wallace, Patton, Green, Phillips and Casey.

The honored guests were Mr. and Mrs. Graves, Capt. and Mrs. Morgan. The home and tables were elaborately decorated with the club colors (blue and white) and many beautiful potted plants.

The following menu was served: Chicken croquettes, French peas, rolls, ripe olives, sweet pickles, salted almonds, after dinner mints, macaroni postiche, home-made cakes, coffee, demi tasse.

A most enjoyable evening was spent by all present.

Mrs. L. J. Casey, Pres.

The following program was rendered:

1. Prayer—Mr. Bowman.

2. Hymn—"All the way my Saviour leads me"—The Club.

3. Welcome Address, by the president, Mrs. L. J. Casey.

4. Response—Rev. Green.

5. Hymn—"We anched my soul"—The Club.

6. Recitation—"When Mankind Sings"—Mrs. Epperson.

7. Recitation—"The Gambler's Wife"—Mrs. Johnson.

8. Solo—"When Twilight Comes"—Mrs. A. G. Moore.

9. Recitation—"The Tenth Woman"—Mrs. Pauline Green.

10. Solo—"Lead Me Gently Home, Father"—Mr. Bowman.

11. Remarks—"By the Husbands."

12. Closing hymn—"God Be With You, Till We Meet Again"—By all present.

Mrs. Helen Porter, Sec.

Mrs. Georgia Porter, Reporter.

Mrs. A. G. Moore, Mistress of Ceremony.

A farewell entertainment, given by Prince Uniforms, Kaba Rega, for benefit of the Rev. J. K. Parker, pastor of the Pleasant Green Baptist Church, Elliott and Wash Street, Monday evening, April 26. Subject: "A Trip Through Panama" in stereopticon views. Over five hundred of the members responded to show their appreciation and courtesy for the pastor's efforts in building up this great church, and as a result he has now in his possession a neat little sum to take a vacation for a few days.

For rent—Nice, neat furnished rooms. 4034 Cook Ave.

Mrs. Ella Brown, of 2750 Lawton, has moved into her ten room house at 3230 Lawton, and wishes her many friends to call.

Mrs. Jennie Letcher, 6228 Wells Ave., entertained the "Sonnet Art Club" on Thursday, April 22. Among the guests were Madame Danby, of Kansas City, Mo., who made a very interesting talk. A dainty luncheon consisting of sandwiches, ice cream, cake, coffee.

A. A. Clark, Pres. N. V. Isaac, Sec.

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DEATHS OF THE WEEK

Julia Staves, 2229 Washington, 43. Frederick Fairfax, 4282 Kennerly, 18. John Tenor, 4209 Papin, 45. Charlotte Bell, 2639 Morgan, 59. Mary Jones, Belleville, Ill., 69. Aaron Smiley, 971 Belt S. William Johnson, 131 N. 15th, 49. Lizzie Jackson, 4232 Cote Brillante, 55.

Infant Ford, 1445 Papin. John Bentford, 513 S. Garrison, 45. Minnie Smith, 2906 Lawton, 39.

Daisy Clark, 319 S. Garrison, 2. Sam Herring, 1227 Chestnut, 75. Sam Hart, 4318 St. Ferdinand, 55.

Lee Dillard, 812 N. 15th, 35. Stella Blackman, 4053 W. Belle, 21. Birdie Hobbs, 2757 La Salle, 39.

Curtis A. Nelson, 2219 Walnut, 41. Joshua Sutton, 2127 Gratiot, 54. Lettie Snyder, 608 S. Ewing, 27.

Alex. Fishback, 1629 Chestnut, 51. Susie Walker, 4258 Kennerly, 28. Robert Harris, 4232 Cousin, 24.

WALLACE E. WILSON DIES

Wallace E. Wilson, formerly in the real estate business, died Thursday, April 15, after an illness of several months, at his home, 2822 Walnut Street, St. Louis, Mo. He was a brother of Geo. D. Wright, druggist, who deeply mourns his loss.

CARD OF THANKS

We deeply appreciate and extend thanks to our many friends for their sympathetic assistance during the illness and death of our brother, Wallace E. Wilson, and for the beautiful floral offerings, the impressive music of Pastor Stevens, and the deep interest manifested. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Wright, 2822 Walnut St.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Emmaline Thompson, (the Mrs. Henry Thompson) daughter and grandchildren, wish to thank their many friends for their kindness and sympathy shown them during the recent illness and death of Henry Thompson. We especially wish to thank the friends for the beautiful floral offerings.

IN MEMORIAM

Gone But Not Forgotten

To the memory of my dear husband, John L. Cunningham, who departed this life April 28th, 1913.

"A precious one from us has gone, A voice we loved is stilled; A place is vacant in our home, Which never can be filled. God in his wisdom has recalled, The boon his love had given, And though the body summons, The soul is safe in heaven."

Sadly missed by wife and children.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Craven, of 3304 LaSalle, wish to thank their friends for the sympathy shown during the illness of Mrs. Craven, who has entirely recovered under the special care of Dr. G. B. Key. We especially thank the nurses of the Provident Hospital for their kindness and efficient service—while there, and to all who were so hospitable by the way of flowers and fruit.

Sunday Funeral

After May 1, Father Dickson Cemetery will open its gate for Sunday funerals. Societies may hold ceremonies. Manager's residence, 2413 Coode Ave. Bell phone, Lindell 1841. Cemetery phone, Kirkwood 287V.

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BASEBALL

The Giants added another game to their credit last Sunday by winning from the Field-Lippmans 11 to 2. A large crowd was out to Kuebler's Park to witness the contest. The features of the game were a home run by Handy and a double play, unassisted, by McAdoo. Capt. Dick Wallace, of the Giants sustained a sprained ankle and had to be carried from the field. He will be laid up for a few days only. Next Sunday and Monday, May 2 and 3, the Giants will play the Dietrich Stars. The following is the score of last Sunday's game.

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Batteries—Ellerman, Wolff and Shenkel; Johnson, Williams and Webster. Umpire—Matjov.

Matjov, the new umpire, deserves more consideration than the men seem willing to give to him. He is conscientious and honest in his work and is trying to please. He covers the ground well and is generally on top of the play. He has a better opportunity to judge than the people in the stands and deserves the benefit of the doubt on all decisions. He'll make good, if given a chance.

At last the baseball powers that be, locally, have decided to give the Negro some recognition. It is rumored that a New City League is contemplated, consisting of the Giants, Alpen Brays, East St. Louis Giants, Belleville Maroons and two other teams to play a schedule of Saturday games. The Giants are expected to be the biggest drawing card and should win the pennant as they are conceded to be the fastest aggregation in the city outside of the big league clubs.

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PLENTY OF FUN AT THE
BOOKER WASHINGTON
THIS WEEK

There is a riot of fun at the Booker Washington this week and everyone seems to be well satisfied.

Myers and Myers open in a repertoire of songs and dances, interspersed with several jokes. The lady does a bit of good dancing and makes a hit.

The Freemans, very good singers, score nicely. They are featuring a burlesque burglar stunt that is full of comedy. Their jokes are catchy and take well with the audience. The lady is a much improved actress.

Bozian and Granger, the "Brass Boys," open lively with comic antics and songs, filled with electricity and keep up a storm of applause until they close, with a medley of popular songs played on slide trombone and tuba. They are making good.

Turpin's Artists, in "The Troubles of a Theatrical Manager," are as funny as ever. Tim Moore gets plenty of comedy out of the role of Jake, the general utility man. Bowman is David Tabasco, the manager. Miss Urril Burnett, as Madeline Beeter; Joe Burrell, as Edwin C. Booth, and Mrs. Moore as his wife, are all good. The act is going good.

Saturday Night, the finale contest in Women's Rag Time Piano Playing will be heard. Those who have qualified for the championship are Misses Bessie Collins, Beula McQueen, Lula Davis and Mary Harper.

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The Black Box

Grand Opening of the New Lincoln Airdome, 2620 N. Newstead Ave. near Cottage. Monday Evening, May 3, 1915

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THE PRICE OF JEALOUSY

The Price of Jealousy is the title of the second "Who Pays?" picture at the Comet Odéon this Saturday, May 1. It is said to be a thriller. Manager Zimmerman has installed a new Daylight Screen, the only one on Market St. It has the effect of making the pictures look like oil paintings. The last chapter of Runaway June will be seen Monday, and a new serial, "The Diamond From The Sky" will be installed Monday night, May 10.

The Movie Theater is getting situated for its summer run. Ten ceiling and wall fans have been installed, making the place cool, comfortable and well ventilated. Manager "Tommie" James is wide awake. He is continually improving the quality of his photo-plays, as well as caring for the comfort of his patrons. Saturday, this theater will show "American," a two-part thriller on the Mexican war. Sunday, "The Greater Barrier," an Indian picture, will be shown.

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